

SENATE BILL NO. 20

BY SENATORS CHAISSON AND THOMPSON

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 16:516(A) and to repeal R.S. 11:1601(3)(b), relative to district
3 attorneys; to provide for the payment of group health insurance premiums from the
4 district attorney's general fund in the Twenty-Fifth Judicial District; to establish
5 criteria for eligibility; to provide for eligibility for membership in the District
6 Attorneys' Retirement System; to remove certain prohibitions; and to provide for
7 related matters.

8 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 16:516(A) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

11 §516. Health insurance; retired district attorneys; certain judicial districts

12 A. The premium costs of group health insurance shall be paid in full from
13 the district attorney's general fund, in and for the Fifth, Seventh, Eighteenth, Twenty-
14 First, Twenty-Third, **Twenty-Fifth**, Twenty-Ninth, Thirtieth, and Fortieth judicial
15 districts as may be applicable, for any district attorney who retired with at least
16 twenty-five years of full-time service regardless of age.

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18 Section 2. The provisions of the Act which originated as House Bill No. 359
19 of this 2009 Regular Session shall be null, void and of no effect. This Section shall
20 supersede and control to the extent of conflict with any other provision of law,
21 regardless of the date of enactment.

22 Section 3. R.S. 11:1601(3)(b) is hereby repealed in its entirety.

1 Section 4. The provisions of Section 3 of this Act shall apply to any person who took
2 office on or after November 15, 2008. To receive credit for the service rendered before July
3 1, 2009, the person and his employer shall pay to the system the contributions that would
4 have been paid had membership in the system begun on the day the person first began
5 employment covered by the system.

6 Section 5. This Act shall become effective July 1, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____